

NEGROES ATTACK
TOBACCO MENTHREE HIGHLAND FARMERS SHOT
BEATEN AND ROBBED—
JAIL GUARDED AGAINST
MOB.

Three Danville negroes, Louis Gregory, Curley Johnson and Bud Hawkins, attacked, shot, beat up and robbed three Lincoln county tobacco men, D. O. Ballard, Clarence Deatherage and E. B. Hatfield, two miles from town on the Danville pike Monday night, and robbed Hatfield of \$93. Leaving the white men wounded and bloody on the ground, the negroes drove to Danville, where two of them Gregory and Johnson were captured early Tuesday morning by Deputy Sheriff W. S. Embury and Chief of Police B. D. Carter. Hawkins the third negro got away from the Danville officers who saw him, but at the time did not know he was a member of the gang.

Gregory and Johnson were lodged in jail here, and rumors that a mob would come in from the Highland section, where the wounded men live, were rife Wednesday night. Sheriff W. L. McCarty with deputies, County Judge J. P. Bailey, Jailer Dink Farmer, Night officer Meeks kept guard in front of the jail. Jailer Farmer gave the prisoners weapons to protect themselves. A number of negroes from Macksville, congregated on the street behind the jail, and remained on guard most of the night. Many of them had shot guns and revolvers and it is understood that their plan was to help protect the negroes in jail should a mob come in and attempt to lynch them. They built a fire in the street and a shot or two was heard in the night from their camp. Those who carried arms wore white handkerchiefs tied around their arms, and they seemed to be well organized. Several of them ventured toward the front of the court house, but Sheriff McCarty warned them to get back where they belonged telling them that if a mob did come in it might fare badly with any negroes found in the neighborhood.

Several horsemen came into town early in the night, but no other signs of a mob were visible. It was thought that perhaps they came in to reconnoiter the situation, but finding that the jail was well guarded, reported back that bloodshed would probably follow an attempt to get the negroes out and lynch them. County Attorney Burch and officer rode out the Somerset pike as far as Carter's place at Hall's Gap, thinking to dissuade a mob from attempting to take the prisoners by force, should men be found who had such a purpose in view, but they came upon no one who seemed to be inclined toward taking the law into their own hands.

It had been expected that the examining trial of the negro prisoners would be held this week, but as circuit court convenes Monday and the grand jury will be empaneled at once, it was decided by the officers that their cases go over for consideration by that inquisitorial body. So far nothing has been heard of Hawkins, the third negro, who made his escape. Jailer Dink Farmer raised a fund of \$50 to offer as a reward for his capture, Wednesday and that same day he paid to the man who brought him in. All three of the negroes are said to have had records. The Danville Advocate says that both John and Gregory have served penitentiary terms.

The story of the midnight hold-up Monday night as told by the wounded men, who were brought to town Tuesday morning by Mr. J. L. Jarvis in a hurry, after their wounds had been dressed, shows that it was one of the boldest affairs of the kind pulled off in this section in many years. The men said that they were about two miles out of Stanford, ascending a hill near the home of T. A. Rice. They had three wagons loaded with their crops, which they were taking to the Danville markets to sell. Matthew Wright and Robert Hatfield were on the rear wagon, too far back to get into the scrap, or help their friends.

When near the top of the hill a horse and buggy drove past hurriedly and containing three negroes. The white men say they paid scant attention to it, but saw the vehicle stopped a few hundred yards ahead of them in the road, and tied to a fence and the three blacks came running back. When close on the tobacco wagon the negroes pulled guns and began firing. Ballard and Hatfield left off their wagons to escape the hail of bullets, while three struck Deatherage and he was knocked off. One of the shots struck him in the left shoulder, and two others in the left hip. No sooner had Ballard and

HATFIELD STRUCK THE GROUND THAN THE NEGROES JUMPED ON THEM. WITH WEAPONS CLUBBED, THEY STRUCK DOWN THE WHITE MEN. HATFIELD RECEIVED TWO FEARFUL BLOW IN THE FACE BOTH OF HIS JAW BONES BEING BROKEN, WHILE BALLARD WAS KNOCKED UNCONSCIOUS BY A TERRIBLE LICK ON THE BACK OF HEAD. WITH THEIR VICTIMS WAITING IN BLOOD, THE NEGROES RIFLED THEIR POCKETS, SECURING THE SUM OF \$93 FROM HATFIELD. THEY THEN JUMPED INTO THEIR BUGGY AND DROVE RAPIDLY TOWARD DANVILLE.

People living in the neighborhood of the affair, heard the shooting and the moans of the wounded men, and Cas McDuffey took them to his home and telephoned for officers and a physician. Dr. W. B. O'Bannon responded and dressed their injuries and enabled them to be driven home while the wagons were taken on to Danville by their friends.

Deputy Sheriff W. S. Embury and Chief of Police B. D. Carter secured a good description of the negroes from the wounded men and struck out at once toward Danville in pursuit. Arriving there, they enlisted the aid of the local police, and arrested Gregory and Johnson at their homes in the notorious "Creek" section of that city. Gregory saw that the game was up and readily admitted that he had done the shooting. He claimed, however, that the white men had started the trouble by refusing to give them road to pass in their wagons, and began shooting at them first. It is said that trouble was started by the negroes with white men before the tobacco wagons got out of town, and that the negroes turned and came back to Macksville and secured pistols, before going to Danville again.

Many tobacco men who are taking their crops toward Danville now are carrying long guns and are ready to resist another attack of this kind.

Darst-Newland

POPULAR YOUNG COUPLE WED
HERE WEDNESDAY.

In the presence of a few intimate friends and loved ones, Rev. J. J. Dickson on Wednesday evening said the words which made Owsley Newland and Miss Anna Darst man and wife.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride on the Dudders's Mill pike, the old fashioned home being beautifully arranged and decorated for the happy affair.

Both of the young people had kept the secret well and news of the wedding caused much surprise among their many friends. Both are very popular and have the heartiest congratulations and good wishes of all who know them. The bride is the only daughter of H. J. Darst, a prominent Lincoln farmer, and is one of the finest girls ever raised in this state. She is bright and attractive and will make a splendid life companion for the deserving young man who has won her. Mr. Newland is a son of O. P. Newland, and is a splendid young man in every sense of the word. For some time he has been engaged as private secretary to the General Manager of the Q. & C., at Danville, but will now return to Lincoln and assist Mr. Darst in the management of his nice farm. He is a progressive and substantial young man, and Lincoln county will be the gainer that he is to become a permanent resident here. She needs more like him and his bonny bride. They left for Jacksonville, Fla., on a wedding trip.

A BIGGER CONGRESS.

The democrats of the House aided by a few republicans who declined to be bound by the party caucus, won their fight for an increased representation in the lower branch of Congress under the census of 1910.

They voted down the republican caucus bill to maintain the membership at 371 as at present and then passed the original Crumpacker bill fixing the membership at 433 on and after March 3, 1913.

If Arizona and New Mexico should be admitted to statehood they will be given one representative each, bringing the total to 435.

The action of the House must be ratified by the Senate. The House leaders believe the Senate will follow the wishes of the lower branch.

Under the new reapportionment plan no state loses a member. The following states gain the number indicated:

Alabama 1; California, 3; Colorado; 1; Florida, 2; Louisiana, 1 Massachusetts 2, Michigan, 1; Minnesota, 1; Montana, 2; New Jersey, 2; New York, 6; North Dakota, 1; Ohio 1; Oklahoma, 3; Oregon, 1; South Dakota, 1; Texas, 2; Utah, 1; Washington of bullets, while three struck Deatherage and he was knocked off. One of the shots struck him in the left shoulder, and two others in the left hip. No sooner had Ballard and

For Sale.—About 10,000 old brick for sale come quick if you want them left hip. No sooner had Ballard and J. C. Florence. Stanford, 6-8.

ART EXHIBIT A
SPLENDID SUCCESSREMARKABLE TALENT POSSESSED
IN LINCOLN COUNTY SUR
PRISES MANY VISITORS

The Woman's Improvement Club of Stanford covered itself with glory with the Art Exhibit on Tuesday. In every way this unusual exposition of the artistic talent possessed by so many people of Stanford and community was a complete success, and on every hand the public spirited women who made possible this most meritorious display were showered with compliments and congratulations upon their work. So appreciative seemed everyone of what the women have done in this line, that a proposal that this Art Exhibit be made an annual event, and enlarged and extended in scope met with hearty endorsement on all sides. The Woman's Improvement Club has done a good thing and is deserving of the thanks of the community for its progressiveness.

The display of art work in picture painting, needle work and china painting all done by Lincoln county people was a revelation to many. That this community harbors so many real artists was known to but very few. The rear room of the State Bank & Trust Company office in which the display was made was a veritable gallery of artistic loveliness. The pictures had been hung upon the walls and the handwork arranged upon tables to the best advantage. No floral hall at a country fair ever compared with this exhibition. The members of the Club served delicious refreshments of coffee, chocolate, sandwiches and cakes and gave all who came, a cordial welcome. There was a goodly attendance in the afternoon of Tuesday but in the evening the room was crowded until a late hour. The small admission of 10 cents, netted a neat sum, but barely enough to reimburse the good women for their trouble and expense in promoting this creditable exhibition and defraying the cost of prizes.

Mrs. Robert Harding, of Danville who is herself exceptionally talented, along these lines, was chosen as Judge of the different exhibits and made the award of the various prizes to the best exhibit in each class. Some of the different exhibits were so good that it was hard to discriminate but the selections of the prize winners as made by Mrs. Harding gave general satisfaction, and seemed to have public approval. A vote was allowed each visitor on the piece of work which he or she considered best and the "popular prize" was awarded in this way to Mrs. Sam J. Embury who had a beautiful display.

The list of those entering exhibits in the various classes and the winner in each follow:

Embroidery—Miss Margaret Wright prize on handkerchief; Mrs. S. J. Embury, Mrs. William Tate, Mrs. William Sovereign, Mrs. James Cash, Mrs. C. Fowler, Mrs. J. W. Ireland, Mrs. Shelton Sauley, Mrs. A. S. Price, Mrs. J. G. Carpenter, Mrs. H. P. Glascock, Mrs. W. H. Shanks, Mrs. C. H. Carter, Mrs. Hazel Stone, Mrs. S. D. Bartley, Mrs. Geo. C. Givens, Mrs. John S. Baughman, Mrs. Frewitt, Misses Beale Richards, Beecher Newbern, of Hustonville, Mary Bruce, Levis Harris, Lillie Holtzclaw, Lena Palmar, Lena Napier, of Crab Orchard, and Beadie Spomanore.

Drawn Work, Tatting, Crochet, and other fancy work—Mrs. Will N. Craig, prize on crochet waist; Mrs. Lania Hundley, Mrs. T. W. Pennington, Mrs. J. E. Bruce, Mrs. C. Fowler, Mrs. J. W. Alcorn, Mrs. Fred Garnett, Mrs. Bettie Bush, Mrs. Annie Engleman, Mrs. Pottery, of Waynesburg, Mrs. Sallie Johnson, Miss Black Given, Miss Mary Phillips, Miss Margaret Warren, Miss Katherine Lynn.

Pictures—Miss Jean Paxton prize in pastels; Miss Lyles Cooper prize in crayon; Miss Kate Alcorn prize in water colors; J. T. Wilkinson prize in oil; Other exhibitors: Miss Mary Burdette, Miss Charlotte Warren, Miss Florence Carter, Miss Ruth Tanner, Miss Matsy Grimes, Miss Elizabeth Matheny, Mesdames T. S. Webb, Jr., J. W. Ireland, J. N. Saunders, H. C. Hughesman, Bessie McKinney, John Shanks, J. G. Carpenter, Messrs. Coleman and Joseph Hopper.

China Painting—Mrs. Shelton Sauley prize; Mrs. H. C. Baughman, Mrs. W. S. Denham, Mrs. William Sovereign, Mrs. J. S. Baughman, Mrs. W. H. Shanks, Mrs. J. H. McAllister, Jr., Mrs. J. G. Carpenter, Mrs. A. S. Price, Miss Charlotte Warren.

The following gentlemen went to Cincinnati this morning to attend a big meeting of the Knights of Pythias. J. W. Ireland, R. T. Bruce, J. H. Woods, H. C. Wray, W. H. Wearen, B. W. Givens, E. T. Beazley, W. H. Higgins

"BOODLE AND BOOZE"

Rev. Andrew Johnson who is conducting revival services will deliver his famous temperance address in Preachersville Sunday 19th 11 A. M. A great crowd is expected. Special music will be rendered for the occasion. All are invited to attend.

Pure Bred Poultry

BECOMING POPULAR IN LINCOLN
—SOME OF THE BREEDERS.

Pure bred poultry industry is becoming quite an important feature of farm and city life in Stanford, and the list of pure-breeders is growing each year. One of the largest breeders to the city is Ben Wearen who has already this season received orders for over 500 eggs from his Kellestrass strain of White Orpingtons. Among the other citizens of this section of the county who are raising the pure breeds, and the strains they favor are:

W. B. Wearen—White and Buff Orpingtons.
Rev. D. M. Walker S. C. Rhode Island Reds.
J. C. McClary—White Leghorns.
A. C. Alford—White Leghorns.
W. P. Kincaid—S. C. Buff Orpingtons.
Albert Phillips—Buff Leghorns.
E. L. Reinhardt—Buff Leghorns.
Tom Coleman—Anconas.
Russell Brown—S. C. Rhode Island Reds.
Dr. D. E. Proctor—White Orpingtons.
W. M. Bright—Buff Cochins.
C. C. Withers—Buff Orpingtons.
Mrs. R. L. Berry—Brown Leghorns.
Mrs. W. J. Holtzclaw—Buff Orpingtons.
Mrs. J. M. Cress—Brown Leghorns.

The I. J. will soon start a poultry colony in which those who have eggs or fowls to sell may carry an advertisement of same during the season for \$1.

Moreland.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Pruitt are visiting their son Mr. C. L. Pruitt of Junction City.

Mr. W. R. King spent a few days with relatives here.

Bro. Jones pastor of the Hustonville Baptist church preached an interesting sermon at the Union church last Sunday and left a regular appointment for the second and fourth Sunday 2 P. M.

Mr. Willie Lee Pruitt has been visiting relatives in Junction City.

Mr. Alton Spars is back from St. Louis where he had been on a few days visit.

Mr. C. L. Pruitt spent Sunday afternoon with relatives here, and informed his friends that he would start for Oklahoma in a few days where he will make his home.

Mr. Tom Purdom is back after a few days stay with his sister in Burnside.

Mr. Harvey Hopkins who is teaching near Stanford spent Saturday and Sunday with homefolks.

Mr. James Hubbard is our new blacksmith at Mrs. Priscilla Brown's shop.

Mr. G. B. Pruitt has returned after spending a few days in Cincinnati.

Mr. J. K. Baughman has 30 steers on consignment. He weighed them when commencing to feed it and in twenty-eight days they gained on an average of forty-eight pounds to the head. One cow gained one hundred and forty five pounds in twenty seven days.

Last Saturday evening Mrs. Jason Talbot put some hot ashes in a bucket and Mr. Talbot put them in the buggy shed which was connected with the smokehouse, and hurriedly threw a cotton buggy cover on the ashes, threw the buggy and both left home. When they got back, smokehouse and buggy shed were gone up in smoke together with about 600 pounds of pork one barrel of flour, two bushels of meal, a lot of small farming tools crocks etc. No insurance.

Judge Milton J. Durham, former Congressman from the Eighth district, Controller of the Treasury under Cleveland, lawyer and statesman, died at his home in Lexington this week, and the remains were brought to Lexington for burial. He was 87 years old. For a number of years he had been a deputy internal revenue collector.

WATCH FOR HIM NEXT TIME.

Say what you please but Judge Albie W. Young is the most powerful political factor in Kentucky. Cool, smiling and calculating, he is always there at the proper time. Young is in a class to himself and could have been the Democratic nominee for governor this time had he only said the word.—Fulton Daily Leader.

If you fail to receive your I. J., don't get mad. Just take the last copy you received and glance at the date on the label opposite your name. That's the reason.

Found—Two keys on small ring. Owner can get same by paying for this ad.

ENTRIES TO JUDGE'S
RACE CLOSE SATURDAYCHARLES A. HARDIN PUTS UP
\$500 ENTRANCE FEE—HAS
NO OPPOSITION.

Commonwealth's Attorney, Charles A. Hardin was here Wednesday and deposited with Chairman George L. Fenny, of the Thirtieth Judicial District his check for \$500, being the entrance fee fixed by the committee for the primary election called for March 14th to nominate a democratic candidate for Circuit Judge to be voted for in November.

Saturday February 18 is the last day for entrants in the race to declare themselves, and if there is no other announced candidate by then, who has put up the entrance fee, the primary will be called off and Mr. Hardin declared the nominee by the committee. It is certain that he will have no opposition, and is sure to be the next Judge of the district, as the four counties comprising it, Lincoln, Boyle, Mercer and Garrard give a reliable democratic majority. Mr. Hardin was already being congratulated as "Judge" by his many friends here on his visit Wednesday.

UNIQUE CASES ON
TRIAL AT LIVINGSTONCITIZENS CHARGED WITH BUYING
STOLEN COAL FROM LITTLE
CHILDREN.

Livingston, Ky., Feb. 16

An unusual court scene was witnessed here Tuesday when 24 of the loud citizens of this little village were haled into court to answer a charge of buying coal which was alleged to have been stolen by small children from different coal yards and cars which are standing on the railroad tracks here. It seems that a number of half starved youngsters go out with baskets and gather up coal which has fallen off cars in the yards and sell it in town. The city council in an effort to break up the practice passed an ordinance imposing a fine of \$2.50 upon each one who might buy this coal from the youngsters. As a result warrants were served upon 24 well known citizens and the trial of the cases attracted much interest. The County Attorney of Rockcastle came up to prosecute the cases while Attorney C. C. Williams, of Mt. Vernon represented the defendants. One case was dismissed. In the second H. Davis was fined \$2.50 and refused to pay he fine. His attorneys advised him to go to jail but the municipal authorities were afraid to put him in jail for fear that they might be held responsible.

Attorney Casper Williams who fought the charges against his clients, declared that such an ordinance as was attempted to be enforced was clearly unconstitutional and illegal. He said that a city council had just as much right to pass an ordinance that any one who might commit murder in Livingston should be fined \$3 as they had to pass the ordinance under question. Much interest attaches to the case and further proceedings will be watched with interest.

"Peck's Bad Boy," which is to be presented at the opera house Saturday night sails only under its own flag and true colors. It is not claimed for the attraction that it offers most artistically done, tragedy, grand opera, or society drama, nor even a high-class comedy. The only claim is that show greater laughter of the purely spontaneous sort, is pure, clean, and whole some, and has a laughing benefit for those who see it without troubling them with any hard thinking.

The play is so well known after its many years of success in this and every other country where the English language is spoken that there is little need of repeating its story. The principal character is a healthy, good hearted American boy who is continually working off his superfluous energy by playing tricks upon those with whom he comes in contact. His father, his mother, and Schultz, the German grocer, are most frequently the butt of his harmless jokes.

In many respects the "Peck's Bad Boy" of the present season is a new "Peck's Bad Boy." While the same general scheme has been followed this year, as in previous years, there are many new pranks for the boy, and many pleasing musical specialties to add to the enjoyment.

PNEUMONIA FOLLOWS A COLD

But never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar, which checks the cough and expels the cold. M. Stockwell Hannibal, Mo., says: "It beats all the remedies I ever used. I contracted a bad cold and cough and was threatened with pneumonia. One bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar completely cured me." No opiates, just a reliable household medicine. Shugart and Tanner.

Lost—Gold seal ring with initials "F. D. T. F." Reward for return to Mr. Clara D. Traylor.

THAT FOOTRACE
MY CHALLENGE HAS BEEN MISCONSTRUED. I DO NOT PROPOSE TO RACE WITH METHUSELAH NOR ANY OTHER ANTIDILUVIAN. FROM THE DESCRIPTION GIVEN OF THE CRAB ORCHARD RACER BY HIS HISTORICAL COADJUTOR-TODDY MIXER-ATTORNEY ONE MIGHT THINK HIS RACER METHUSELAH HATT IS A HORSE IF IT WERE NOT FOR HIS KISSING PROPENSITIES.

And if I were to run with him he would likely break ranks to kiss a baby or take a toddy with his coadjutor attorney. Yours for younger game. JOS. BALLOU

Little Son

OF MR. AND MRS. F. P. PEAK
DIES IN LOUISVILLE.

James Rankin Peak, the 16-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Peak, of Louisville, died at their home there last Sunday morning. The remains of the little one were brought here Tuesday morning and laid to rest in the family burying ground beside his grandparents, the late Mr. and Mrs. James F. Peak, parents of Mr. F. P. Peak. The little one, was ill but a short time, of pneumonia. Funeral services were conducted at the home of the little one's parents at 2533 St. Cecilia, by Rev. Reid, of the Baptist church of 25th and Market, at which time were members a number of friends accompanied the sorrowing parents back to their old home to lay their little one in its last resting place. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Dell, Mrs. Kate Dell, Mr. Peak, the father is a former Lincoln county boy, and has many friends here who will deeply sympathize with him and his wife in this hour of affliction. They have one other child, a little girl.

Marriage Licenses

COUNTY CLERK COOPER KEPT
BUSY IN NEW YEAR.

County Clerk George B. Cooper has been busy issuing marriage license during the past few weeks and from the record to date, he believes that 1911 bids fair to eclipse the record made during 1910. Licenses issued lately were to

Cornelius Montgomery and Miss Lena Estes, who were married at the home of Green Martin, near McKinney. Dudley Carman and Corine Blanch Johnson, who were married at Rev. Cannon's on the 29th of January, near King's Mountain.

Hansom Young and Miss Nancy L. Carrier, were wedded at the home of J. R. Carrier in the Waynesburg section.

Willie Jenkins and Miss Sallie Jenkins, who were made one at the home of Rev. J. M. Cook in Highland on Feb. 7th.

Luther Owens of Casey county and Miss Lou M. Privett, of the Green river section, who were married by Judge Bailey in the court house.

Casey Politics

WARMING UP OVER TWO RACES
THIS YEAR.

Middleburg, Ky., Feb. 16.

There is going to be something doing in the political arena here before the roses bloom. There are two entries in the sheriff's race, J. W. Fair, being the last to enter and John is a hustler. Mr. W. C. Rubarts, of Dunnville, has sided his cuber in the ring for the nomination for representative and Henry Thomas of the Casey County News is not to have a walk over by any means. Mr. Rubarts is one of the cleverest men and his friends say he will get there with both feet. It is a republican fight though and it is not our purpose to lose a moment's sleep over it.

A little infant son of Mrs. Joseph Elliott died Friday morning after some two weeks illness of pneumonia and was buried in the cemetery here Saturday afternoon.

Oscar Lanham, Ernest Tomes and Sine Wilson left this Tuesday morning to find homes in Oklahoma. This makes seven families that have moved from this community to that State in the last three weeks.

A little two year old infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Spears was drowned in Indian Creek Tuesday afternoon of last week. Mrs. Spears left it to go to a house some 150 yards away and when she returned the little fellow was missing and going to the creek found it lifeless body in a deep hole of water.

CAMNITZ LOSES.

A dispatch from New York Wednesday said:

The Board of directors of the National League, after considering the claim of pitcher Howard Camnitz against the Pittsburgh club for a bonus of \$1200, which Camnitz was to receive should his conduct be exemplary throughout the season decided that the claim of the pitcher was not warranted.

CUT OUT MAY WIN
YET, SAYS WILSONANOTHER TOBACCO MEETING
CALLED FOR STANFORD
SATURDAY TO SETTLE
MATTER.

The final effort to organize the cut-out movement in the burley tobacco district will take place Saturday when mass meeting will again be held in the different counties of the district. Chairman Bradley Wilson of the campaign committee declares that false reports have been sent from Lexington concerning the alleged failure of the movement. He says that the old burley county leaders are now ready to come in if the independent counties will show what they can do, and for this reason he is urging the independents to make a last effort to do something.

Mr. Wilson telephoned the Interior Journal that he will be here Saturday to address the meeting himself. He says that the reason for the failure of Hon. J. N. Kehoe to appear here Monday as was advertised is that Mr. Kehoe could not get away from his business and he was unable to find some at that late hour to take his place. Mr. Wilson asks that all who have pledged books still to make every effort to secure signers as he believes that there is a splendid chance still for the movement to go through and be a success. He does not believe that there will be tobacco grown this year in the burley district. He says that the sentiment is all in favor of the cut-out and wants Lincoln county to stay in line for better prices.

A great many of the rank and file of the old Burley Society are dissatisfied with the annual to go in on the cut out. A committee on investigation made this report this week:

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 13, 1911

"We the committee representing the Loyal Pool Counties, Mason, Harrison, Pendleton, Grant and Owen, after making a thorough investigation of the strength of the cut-out movement and after visiting and conferring with the officials of the Burley Tobacco Society and the officials of the Burley Tobacco Union, believe that the situation warrants honest efforts by all growers interested in the cut-out movement in both independent and loyal pooling counties, to respond to the call of the Burley Tobacco Union for a general meeting at Lexington of the Burley Tobacco District, on February 20, 1911 at 1:30 p. m., and as a committee representing Old Loyal Pool Counties and as a pooler, we hereby earnestly request all recognized Loyal Pool Counties to call and hold mass meeting at their county seats Saturday, the 18th of February, 1911 to express their sentiment and desires as to the cut-out, and to appoint a delegate or delegates to attend said meeting at Lexington, Monday, February 20, 1911 and report the action taken by their counties and to vote to support the movement to a cut-out provided the independent growers show, at said meeting, sufficient strength to justify the Old Loyal Pool Counties in binding themselves to cut out the crop of 1911.

"C. W. BURTON.
"JOSE E. STEVENSON.
"T. J. GULICK.
"J. T. MARDIS.
"C. W. ZUEREN.
"M. H. BOURNE.
"H. G. AULICK.
"JOHN D. BERRY.
Committee."

Parksville

Joel G. Spire is in charge of the depot in the absence of B. Bolling. Mrs. G. A. Carter is visiting Mrs. H. F. Glascock at Stanford.

A two year old son of William Preston died Saturday night of brain fever. C. D. Hagan sold to H. C. Cash a sow and five pigs for which he received \$45.

W. S. Armstrong has returned from Casey county, where he bought a nice drove of hogs.

Miss Ruth Penn, of Gravel Switch, has returned to study music under Miss Matilda Potts.

Ben Bowling and wife left here Friday for Birmingham, Ala., where they will visit relatives.

Miss Ova May, who has been attending school at Lebanon, is at home on account of her eyes.

While running from a falling tree, which he was cutting, Isaac Riley fell on a rock, injuring his head, the blood clotted on his brain, and caused his death. The deceased was eighteen years old.

For Sale.—1 1/4 acre lot on Main Street, has barn and all outbuildings. Beautiful building site for residence. \$400. Stanford Real Estate.